enumerated and specified in the aforegoing statement and receipt by Edwin H. Brown, the former and retiring Treasurer; and I did witness the signing of said receipt by said Treasurer.

(Signed) MARION DEK. SMITH, Comptroller of the l'reasury.

Which were severally read and ordered to be spread in extenso upon the journal.

The Secretary of the Senate appeared and delivered the following message:

BY THE SENATE, February 24th, 1892.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

It is with feelings of pain that we are obliged to inform you of the death of the Hon. J. Frank Talbott, late Senator from Calvert county.

The sad occurrence has cast a gloom over the Senate and in respect to the memory of the lamented deceased, we respectfully ask the concurrence of your Honorable Body in the following arrangements for the funeral:

That the two Houses in a body to-morrow morning escort the remains of our late colleague to the steamer that will carry them to their final resting place, and that a committee of eight, three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House, be appointed to make such arrangements as may be proper for the removal of the remains to his native county.

We have named on the part of the Senate, Messrs. Rogers, Moss and Posey.

By order,

W. G. PURNELL, Secretary.

Which was read.

Mr. Ireland submitted the following message:

By the House of Delegates, February 24th, 1892.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received your message transmitting to us the melancholy intelligence of the decease of Hon. J. Frank Talbott, late Senator from Calvert county, and deeply sympathize with your Honorable Body, and concur in the following arrangements for the funeral: